

# Education and Workforce Development Cabinet

## Vocational Rehabilitation seeks public's vision for future

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FRANKFORT, Ky. – The Kentucky Office of Vocational Rehabilitation (OVR) has scheduled “Visioning Forums” to give individuals with disabilities, advocates, and other interested individuals an opportunity to provide feedback on the services OVR provides to Kentuckians with disabilities. Input from the visioning forums will be used to help develop the state plan that the agency is required to submit to the Rehabilitation Services Administration.

The visioning forums schedule follows. (All times local)

- Louisville: 4 - 6 p.m., Oct. 21; Center for Accessible Living, Board Room, 305 W. Broadway, Suite 200
- Lexington: 5 - 7 p.m., Nov. 5; OWL, 650 Kennedy Road
- Florence: 4 - 6 p.m., Nov. 17; One-Stop Career Alliance of N. KY, Board Room, 8020 Veterans Memorial Drive

Kentuckians who are unable to attend a forum may send comments in any format (written, taped, phone call, etc.) to David Beach at 209 St Clair Street, Frankfort, KY 40601 or (800) 372-7172 by November 30, 2008. Comments may also be submitted through the Internet at <http://www.ovr.ky.gov>. If reasonable accommodations are needed for your participation at the forum, please call Veeta Bain at (800) 372-7172 (Voice/TTY) at least one week prior to the forum you wish to attend.

The Office of Vocational Rehabilitation, an agency of the Education and Workforce Development Cabinet, assists Kentuckians with disabilities to achieve gainful employment and independence. For more information about services, call the office toll free at (800) 372-7172 or at (888) 420-9874 (TDD) or visit the OVR Web site at [www.ovr.ky.gov](http://www.ovr.ky.gov).

The Kentucky Education and Workforce Development Cabinet coordinates learning programs from P-16 and manages and supports training and employment functions in the Department for Workforce Investment. For more information about our programs, visit [www.educationcabinet.ky.gov](http://www.educationcabinet.ky.gov) or [www.workforce.ky.gov](http://www.workforce.ky.gov).